

Childs and Isaac Smith Homans, of the city of Baltimore;  
Which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table,

On motion by Mr. Merrick, the house took up for consideration the bill reported by him entitled, An act to incorporate the Steam Milling and Manufacturing company of Charles county.

The amendment proposed by the committee to said bill was then read a second time, and "assented to."

The said bill was then read a second time as amended and passed.

Mr. Lantz submitted the following preamble and order, which was twice read and adopted.

Whereas, by an act of December session eighteen hundred and sixteen, chapter two hundred and fifty six, section fifth, it was made the duty of the commissioners of the school fund of each county, to report to the General Assembly annually, the manner in which the same may have been disposed of, and by the seventh section of said act the Levy court of Allegany county are constituted commissioners of its funds, and are directed to invest it, &c. and by the act of December session, eighteen hundred and twenty-nine, chapter twenty-five, section fourth, the commissioners of Allegany county were vested with all the powers, rights and privileges lawfully exercised by, and all property, estate and effects, vested in, the justices of the Levy court of Allegany county, hence the duty of report annually would devolve on the commissioners of Allegany county—Therefore,

Ordered, That the commissioners of Allegany county (or in case of their recess,) their clerk, are hereby required to report forthwith to this house, the state of the school fund, embracing the amount received from period to period and what source, up to the first of February inclusive; of its distribution and application, what amount to each election district, and in its sub-divisions, and what amount, if any, unappropriated money of said funds, remains unapplied to schools in said county, and whether any of said fund has been invested in stocks or loaned upon security, and what amount.

The House then adjourned until Monday morning 10 o'clock.